

Regulatory Tracking Summary

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This report summarizes regulatory items reviewed by the NASA RRAC PC. Items that appeared to have limited interest to the NASA community, or are provided for information only, are shown in light gray text. Notes and comments by the RRAC PC are shown in bold, blue text under "Description." Related documents and citations, such as "76 FR 51967," are linked to the appropriate document for quick access. Suggested follow-up actions are noted with significant items; users are advised that other follow-up actions may be appropriate for their program or facility. Previous issues of this regulatory summary are archived on the RRAC PC website at http://www.nasa.gov/offices/rrac/home/. Comments, questions, suggestions, and requests for further information should be directed to the RRAC PC Manager, Sharon Scroggins at 256-544-7932 (sharon.scroggins@nasa.gov).

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Acronyms

AAC = Alabama Administrative Code

AAM = Alabama Administrative Monthly

ADEM = Alabama Department of Environmental Management

APC = Air Pollution Control

AQ = Air Quality

ARB = Air Resources Board

ARRA = American Recovery and Reinvestment Act CAPCOA = California Air Pollution Control Officer's Association

CASAC = Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee

CCR = California Code of Regulations CFR = Code of Federal Regulations

CIB = Current Intelligence Bulletin

CO₂e = Carbon dioxide equivalent

COMAR = Code of Maryland Regulations

CRNR = California Regulatory Notice Register

CWA = Clean Water Act

DAPC = Division of Air Pollution Control

DAR = Division of Administrative Rule

DEA = Draft Economic Analysis

DEQ = Department of Environmental Quality

DFARS = Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement

DoD = Department of Defense

e-GGRT = Electronic Greenhouse Gas Reporting Tool

EA = Environmental Assessment

EGU = Electric utility steam generating units EPA = U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

FAW = Florida Administrative Weekly

FERC = Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

FR = Federal Register
GHG = Greenhouse gas

HDDE = Heavy-duty diesel engine

LAC = Louisiana Administrative Code LaRC = Langley Research Center

LDEQ = Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality

LUST - Leaking underground storage tank

µg/m³ - Micrograms per cubic meter

Md.R. = Maryland Register

NAAQS = National Ambient Air Quality Standards

NASA = National Aeronautics and Space Administration NESHAP = National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants

NIOSH = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NMAC = New Mexico Administrative Code

NOAA = National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration NPDES = National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

NRCS = Natural Resources Conservation Service

NSPS = New Source Performance Standards

NSR = New Source Review

OAC = Ohio Administrative Code

OEHHA = Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment

OEPA = Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

OGV = Ocean-Going Vessels

PM_{2.5} = Particulate matter having an aerodynamic equivalent diameter of 2.5 microns or less

ppb = Parts per billion

PSD = Prevention of significant deterioration

RIN = Regulatory Identification Number

RRAC PC = Principal Center for Regulatory Risk Analysis and Communication

SB = Senate Bill

SCAQMD = South Coast Air Quality Management District

SIP = State Implementation Plan

SJRWMD = St. Johns River Water Management District

SNUR = Significant New Use Rule

 SO_2 = Sulfur dioxide

SWRCB = State Water Resources Control Board

TAP = Toxic air pollutant

UAC = Utah Administrative Code

U.S. = United States

USDA = U.S. Department of Agriculture

UST = Underground storage tanks

UT BULL = Utah State Bulletin

VAC = Virginia Administrative Code

VA.R. = Virginia Register

VDEQ = Virginia Department of Environmental Quality VPDES = Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

1.0 U.S. Federal Regulatory Review

1.1 Federal Register Summary

This summary includes FR items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date	Citation	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
FED050611-1	Air NAAQS-Ozone	04/28/2011	76 FR 23755	Notice	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Release of Draft Risk and Exposure Assessments and Final Integrated Review Plan for the National	
FED050611-2	Air NAAQS-Ozone	04/28/2011	76 FR 23809	Notice Meetings	Ambient Air Quality Standards for Ozone [40 CFR Parts 50 and 58] Announces availability of the following documents: "Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards: Scope and Methods Plan for Health Risk and Exposure Assessment" "Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards: Scope and Methods Plan for Welfare Risk and Exposure Assessment" "Integrated Review Plan for the Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards" (final document) Comments due 06/27/2011. [RIN 2060-AP38] U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Science Advisory Board Staff Office Notification of a	
	NAAQS-UZONE			weetings	Public Meeting of the Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC) Ozone Review Panel Announces a public meeting to conduct a peer review on EPA's Integrated Science Assessment for Ozone and Related Photochemical Oxidants (March 2011 Draft), and a consultation on EPA's April 2011 drafts of the following documents: "Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards: Scope and Methods Plan for Health Risk and Exposure Assessment" "Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards: Scope and Methods Plan for Welfare Risk and Exposure Assessment" Meetings are scheduled for 05/19/2011 and 05/20/2011 in Chapel Hill, North Carolina.	
FED050611-3	Air NESHAP- EGUs and Steam Generating Units	04/28/2011	76 FR 23768	Notice Hearings	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants From Coal- and Oil-Fired Electric Utility Steam Generating Units and Standards of Performance for Fossil-Fuel-Fired Electric Utility, Industrial-Commercial-Institutional, and Small Industrial-Commercial-Institutional Steam Generating Units [40 CFR Parts 60 and 63] Announces public hearings for proposed "National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants from Coal- and Oil-fired Electric Utility Steam Generating Units and Standards of Performance for Fossil-Fuel- Fired Electric Utility, Industrial-Commercial- Institutional, and Small Industrial-Commercial- Institutional Steam Generating Units." Hearings are scheduled for the following dates: 05/24/2011 in Chicago, Illinois, and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 05/26/2011 in Atlanta, Georgia	

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FED050611-4	Air NESHAP, NSPS–EGUs and Steam Generating Units	05/03/2011	76 FR 24976		U.S. Environmental Protection Agency National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants From Coal- and Oil-Fired Electric Utility Steam Generating Units and Standards of Performance for Fossil-Fuel-Fired Electric Utility, Industrial-Commercial-Institutional, and Small Industrial-Commercial-Institutional Steam Generating Units [40 CFR Parts 60 and 63]	
FED050611.5					Proposes the following: NESHAP for coal- and oil-fired EGUs Revised NSPS for fossil fuel-fired EGUs Several minor amendments, technical clarifications, and corrections to existing NSPS provisions for fossil fuel-fired EGUs and large and small industrial-commercial-institutional steam generating units Comments due 07/05/2011. [RIN 2060-AP52]	
Spa	Commercial Space Flight	05/03/2011	76 FR 24836	Notice Meeting	Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation Regulatory Approach for Commercial Orbital Human Spaceflight [14 CFR Part 460]	
					Announces a public meeting to solicit comments and information about the regulatory approach to commercial orbital human spaceflight. Meeting is scheduled for 05/26/2011 in Cocoa Beach, Florida.	
FED050611-6	Hazardous Materials Transportation	05/05/2011 n	76 FR 25774	Notice Meeting	Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation International Standards on the Transport of Dangerous Goods	
					Announces a public meeting to be held in preparation for the 39th session of the United Nations Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods to be held in June in Geneva, Switzerland. During this meeting, potential new work items will be discussed that might be considered for inclusion in the international agenda. Meeting is scheduled for 06/08/2011 in Washington, D.C.	
FED050611-7	Hazardous Materials	04/29/2011	76 FR 23923	Proposed Rule	Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration	
	Transportation Cell Phone Usage				Hazardous Materials: Restricting the Use of Cellular Phones by Drivers of Commercial Motor Vehicles in Intrastate Commerce [49 CFR Part 177]	
					Proposes the following: Restricting the use of hand-held mobile telephones by drivers during the operation of a motor vehicle containing a quantity of hazardous materials requiring placarding. Prohibiting motor carriers from requiring or allowing drivers of covered motor vehicles to engage in the use of hand-held mobile telephones while driving.	
FED050611-8	Natural Resources Wetlands	04/25/2011	76 FR 22785	Final Rule	Comments due 06/28/2011. [RIN 2137-AE65] Office of the Secretary, U.S. Department of Agriculture Wetland Conservation [7 CFR Part 12]	
					Removes from the CFR obsolete provisions concerning the Natural Resources Conservation Service's coordination responsibilities. Effective 04/25/2011. [RIN 0578-AA58]	

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FED050611-9	Occupational Safety	04/20/2011	76 FR 22106	Notice	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Facilities and technical
	Titanium				Issuance of Final Guidance Publication	community should be
	Dioxide				Announces availability of NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 63: Occupational Exposure to Titanium Dioxide. CIB recommends occupational exposure limits and suggests techniques for monitoring and controlling worker exposure.	aware of this guidance.
					Titanium dioxide is used as a pigment in certain coatings. This bulletin marks the first time NIOSH has released two separate guidelines for the same substance based on particle size. Further information is available on the NIOSH website.	
FED050611-10	Species	04/26/2011	76 FR	Proposed	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	
	Migratory Birds		23428	Rule	General Provisions; Revised List of Migratory Birds [50 CFR Parts 10 and 21]	
					Proposes to revise the List of Migratory Birds both by adding and removing species. Comments due 07/25/2011. [RIN 1018-AX48]	
					Further information is available on the Migratory Bird Program website.	
FED050611-11	Toxic Substances	05/05/2011	76 FR 25569	Final Rule	Defense Acquisition Regulations System, U.S. Department of Defense	NASA's technical
	Hexavalent Chromium				Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Minimizing the Use of Materials Containing Hexavalent Chromium (DFARS Case 2009-D004) [48 CFR Parts 223 and 252]	community should be aware of this action.
					Implements requirements for minimizing the use of materials containing hexavalent chromium in items acquired by DoD, including deliverables and construction materials. Codifies a DoD policy for addressing the serious human health and environmental risks related to the use of hexavalent chromium. The rule prohibits, with certain caveats, the delivery of items containing more than 0.1 percent by weight of hexavalent chromium in any homogeneous material under DoD contracts unless there is no acceptable alternative. Effective 05/05/2011. [RIN 0750-AG35]	
					Hexavalent chromium is widely used in materials applied to certain substrates for inhibition of corrosion. Although this rule does not directly affect NASA procurements, it could affect market availability of certain materials containing hexavalent chromium.	
FED050611-12	Toxic	05/06/2011	76 FR	Notice	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	
	Substances		<u>26284</u>		Draft Integrated Science Assessment for Lead	
	Leau				Announces the availability of a document titled, "First External Review Draft Integrated Science Assessment for Lead." Comments due 07/05/2011.	

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FED050611-13	Toxic Substances Mercury	05/06/2011	76 FR 26225	Proposed Rule	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Elemental Mercury Used in Barometers, Manometers, Hygrometers/Psychrometers; Significant New Use Rule [40 CFR Part 721]	Facilities and technical community should be
					Proposes a SNUR for elemental mercury for use in barometers, manometers, and hygrometers and psychrometers. Would require persons who intend to manufacture (including import) or process elemental mercury for an activity that is designated as a significant new use to notify EPA at least 90 days before beginning the activity. Does not include mercury use in barometers, manometers, and hygrometers and psychrometers that are currently in service or mercury use in portable battery-powered motor-aspirated psychrometers that contain fewer than 7 grams of elemental mercury. Comments due 07/05/2011. [RIN 2070-AJ71]	aware of this action.
FED050611-14	Toxic Substances	05/06/2011	76 FR 26186	Final Rule	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Multi-Walled Carbon Nanotubes; Significant New Use	Facilities and technical community
	Multi-Walled Carbon Nanotubes				Rule [40 CFR Parts 9 and 721] Issues a SNUR for the chemical substance identified generically as multi-walled carbon nanotubes. Would require persons who intend to manufacture, import, or process multi-walled carbon nanotubes for a use that is designated as a significant new use to notify EPA at least 90 days before beginning the activity. Effective 06/05/2011. [RIN 2070-AB27]	should be aware of this action.
FED050611-15	Water Guidance	05/02/2011	76 FR 24479	Notice	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers	Facilities should
					EPA and Army Corps of Engineers Guidance Regarding Identification of Waters Protected by the Clean Water Act	consider reviewing guidance to evaluate potential impacts.
					Announces availability of proposed guidance describing how the agencies will identify waters protected by the CWA and implement the Supreme Court's decisions on this topic. Also proposes revisions of existing regulations to further clarify which waters are subject to CWA jurisdiction. Comments due 07/01/2011.	
					Guidance will apply to all CWA programs, including, but not limited to, the following sections:	
					 Section 303 water quality standards Section 311 oil spill prevention and response Section 401 water quality certification, Section 402 NPDES permits Section 404 permits for discharges of dredged or fill material 	
FED050611-16	Water	04/25/2011	<u>76 FR</u>	Notice	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	<u>Facilities</u>
	NPDES- Construction		22882		Draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System General Permit for Stormwater Discharges From Construction Activities	should consider reviewing to evaluate
				Announces availability of the draft NPDES General permit for stormwater discharges from large and small construction activities. EPA proposes to issue this construction general permit for 5 years and to provide permit coverage to eligible construction projects for which EPA is the NPDES permitting authority, including four states (Idaho, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and New Mexico); Washington, D.C.; most territories; and most Indian country lands. Draft general permit comments due 06/24/2011.	potential impacts.	

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FED050611-17	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	<u>Facilities</u>		
	NPDES- Construction		Elimination System General Per Discharges Associated with Con Proposes to modify the 2008 NF for stormwater discharges assoc construction activity to extend th 01/31/2012. Comments due 05/		Modification to 2008 National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System General Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activities	should consider reviewing to evaluate
				Proposes to modify the 2008 NPDES general permits for stormwater discharges associated with construction activity to extend the expiration date to 01/31/2012. Comments due 05/25/2011.	potential impacts.	
FED050611-18	Water	05/03/2011 <u>76 FR</u> <u>24874</u>	<u>76 FR</u>		U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	
	NPDES- Construction		<u>24874</u>		Initiation of Scoping for an Environmental Assessment	
					Announces preparation of an EA to analyze the potential environmental impacts related to the reissuance of the NPDES General Permit for Discharges from Construction Activities. The EA will evaluate the potential environmental impacts from the discharge of pollutants associated with stormwater runoff from construction activities greater than 1 acre, for which EPA is the permitting authority. EPA will use the information in the EA to evaluate whether to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement. Invites comments to help identify the environmental issues and reasonable alternatives to be examined in the EA. Comments due 05/27/2011.	

1.2 Other News and Developments

1.2.1 Langley Research Center is NASA's First "Tree City USA"

The Arbor Day Foundation, in cooperation with the USDA Forest Service and the National Association of State Foresters, has bestowed upon NASA's LaRC the honor of being a "Tree City USA" community due to its efforts in creating a proactive and successful forestry program. To qualify for "Tree City USA" status, four standards had to be met. LaRC had to establish a "tree board" or department, create a tree care ordinance, implement a community forestry budget of at least \$2 per capita, and observe Arbor Day.

Upon successfully implementing these standards, a plaque, signs, and flag were awarded to the Center, which are now placed on display at LaRC. More information regarding the program, and this award, can be found on the NASA website.

1.2.2 EPA Launches "Federal Green Challenge" in the Pacific Southwest

EPA's Pacific Southwest Region has <u>launched</u> the West Coast Federal Green Challenge. The campaign kicked off during Earth Week and celebrates the commitment of 34 federal agencies, representing more than 150,000 federal employees, to do their part to reduce their environmental impacts. Under this new initiative, federal government facilities pledge to reduce their carbon emissions by 5 percent or more per year in at least two of six areas: waste, water, energy, transportation, electronics, and purchasing.

NASA's Ames Research Center in the San Francisco Bay Area will be participating in this endeavor. More information regarding the West Coast Federal Green Challenge can be found on the EPA <u>website</u>.

1.2.3 EPA Launches New Strategy to Promote Use of Green Infrastructure for Environmental and Economic Benefits

EPA is launching a new strategy to promote the use of green infrastructure by cities and towns to reduce stormwater runoff that pollutes the nation's streams, creeks, rivers, lakes, and coastal waters. Green infrastructure decreases pollution to local waterways by treating rain where it falls and keeps polluted stormwater from entering sewer systems.

EPA plans to work with other federal agencies, state and local governments, tribes, municipalities, and the private sector to identify opportunities for using green infrastructure and to provide assistance to communities in implementing green approaches to control stormwater. EPA also will provide additional tools to help states and communities leverage green infrastructure opportunities within other innovative environmental projects.

More information regarding this program can be found on the EPA website.

1.2.4 Electronic Greenhouse Gas Reporting Tool Testing Opportunity

In June 2011, interested parties will have the opportunity to test the Electronic Greenhouse Gas Reporting Tool (e-GGRT) in a "sandbox" test environment before the final version of the tool is finalized. In this environment, testers will be able to enter test data in the reporting screens for the various subparts covered by the rule.

Individuals interested in participating in these sessions must register in advance, because space is limited. Registration and other information can be found on the e-GGRT <u>website</u>.

1.2.5 NASA and the Navy Developing the Fuel of the Future

In February 2011, NASA signed an agreement with the Navy to test a system for producing fuel using algae grown in the ocean. From among the thousands of known algae, researchers have discovered some species that can support production of between 2,000 and 5,000 gallons of oil per acre per year. More information regarding this initiative can be found in the online publication of this article.

1.3 NASA Regulatory Communication Working Group Updates

Regulatory Communication Working Group calls in 2011 will be held on the following Wednesdays at 12 p.m. CT:

- 18 May
- 15 June
- 20 July
- 17 August

- 21 September
- 19 October
- 16 November

2.0 State Regulatory Reviews

The following sections provide details about the regulatory actions reviewed for selected states in which NASA facilities and related operations are located.

2.1 Alabama State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations in Alabama.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
AL050611-1	Air Conformity	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX,	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental Management	
	,		No. 7, p. 238		Conformity of Federal Actions to State Implementation Plans [AAC 335-3-17]	
					Incorporates by reference changes to the EPA conformity regulations that allow EPA to delegate administrative enforcement of these regulations to ADEM. Effective 04/18/2011.	
AL050611-2	Air NESHAPs	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX,	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental Management	
			No. 7, p. 238		National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants [AAC 335-3-11]	
					Incorporates changes to federal NESHAPs through 09/09/2010 that allow EPA to delegate administrative enforcement of these regulations to ADEM. Revisions are for the following: 335-3-1101 General 335-3-1106 National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Source Categories 335-3-1107 Appendices to 40 CFR 63 Effective 04/18/2011.	
AL050611-3	Air NSPS	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX, No. 7, p. 238	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental Management	
	NSPS				Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources [AAC 335-3-10]	
					Incorporates by reference changes to EPA's NSPS that allows EPA to delegate administrative enforcement of these regulations to ADEM. Revisions are for the following: 335-3-1001 General 335-3-1002 Designated Standards of Performance 335-3-1003 Appendices to 40 CFR 60 Effective 04/18/2011.	
AL050611-4	Air NSPS, NESHAPs	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX,	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental Management	
	NOI O, NEOI IAI S		No. 7, p. 238		EPA Regulations Reference Documents for New Source Performance Standards and National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants [AAC 335-3 Appendix C]	
					Finalizes revisions to Appendix C of Division 3 to reflect changes in Chapter 11. Effective 04/18/2011.	

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AL050611-5	Air Permits	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX, No. 7, p. 238	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental Management	
					Permits [AAC 335-3-14]	
			<u>p. 230</u>		Incorporates by reference EPA's regulations and requirements as published on 12/31/2002, 11/29/2005, 05/16/2008, and 10/20/2010 that allow EPA to delegate administrative enforcement of these regulations to ADEM. Revisions are for the following: 335-3-1403 Standards for Granting Permits 335-3-1404 Air Permits Authorizing Construction in Clean Air Areas (PSD Permitting) 335-3-1405 Air Permits Authorizing Construction in or Near Nonattainment Areas Effective 04/18/2011.	
AL050611-6	Air	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX, No. 7, p. 238	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental	
	Permits				Management Describe Described	
					Major Source Operating Permits, Definitions [AAC 335-3-16.01]	
					Incorporates by reference EPA's requirements for regulation of GHGs. Effective 04/18/2011.	
AL050611-7	Water	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX,	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental	
	Water Quality		No. 7,		Management Water Quality Criteria [AAC 335-6-10]	
			p. 239		Finalizes amendments to add a second special designation to be called "Treasured Alabama Lake," with the accompanying description of waters to which this designation could be applied. Effective 04/18/2011.	
AL050611-8	Water	04/29/2011	AAM Vol. XXIX,	Final Rule	Alabama Department of Environmental	
	Water Quality		No. 7,		Management Water Use Classifications for Interstate and	
			p. 239		Intrastate Waters [AAC 335-6-11]	
					Finalizes amendments to classify Lake Martin as a Treasured Alabama Lake and to classify one segment of the Tallapoosa River as Outstanding Alabama Waters. Effective 04/18/2011.	

2.2 California State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations in California.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
CA050611-1	Air	05/06/2011	CRNR	Proposed	Air Resources Board	
	Area Designations		2011, 18z, p. 753	Rule	Area Designations 2011 [17 CCR 60201]	
			<u>9. 130</u>		Proposes three amendments to: Designate the Northeast Plateau Air Basin as attainment for ozone Confirm the change in designation for Lake Tahoe Air Basin to nonattainment-transitional Confirm the change in designation for Glenn County in the Sacramento Valley Air Basin to nonattainment. Public hearing is scheduled for 06/23/2011 in Sacramento, California. Additional information is available on the ARB website. Comments due 06/22/2011.	

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
CA050611-2	Air Diesel Engines	04/12/2011	ARB Website	Notice	Air Resources Board Diesel Exhaust After-treatment Device Training	
	Diesei Engines				Announces training courses by the ARB Training and Compliance Assistance Program related to diesel exhaust after-treatment devices. Courses are scheduled for the following dates and locations: 105/18/2011 in Riverside, California 107/13/2011 in North Coast, California 10/05/2011 in Siskiyou, California Additional information is available on the ARB website.	
CA050611-3	Air Diesel Engines	05/06/2011	<u>CRNR</u> 2011, 18z,	Proposed Rule	Air Resources Board Heavy-Duty Diesel In-Use Compliance 2011	
	J. 665. 2.1g. 165		<u>p. 735</u>		[13 CCR 1956.8] Proposes to amend California's HDDE test procedures to conform to the modifications already adopted by EPA in November 2010. Public hearing is scheduled for 06/23/2011 in Sacramento, California. Additional information is available on the ARB website. Comments due 06/22/2011.	
CA050611-4	Air	04/06/2011	ARB	Notice	Air Resources Board	
	Diesel Regulations		Website		Compliance Option for California On-Road Diesel Fleets	
					Announces an early action compliance credit for trucking fleets that install a particulate filter by 07/01/2011, or make a commitment to buy a particulate filter by 05/01/2011. By installing the filter early on one truck the fleet may delay compliance on a second truck until 01/01/2017.	
CA050611-5	Occupational Safety	05/06/2011	CRNR	Final Rule	Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board	
	Guardrails		2011, 18z, p. 765		Standard Guardrails [8 CCR 3209]	
			<u>p. 703</u>		Increases the required minimum size of the structural metal in guardrails to 2 inch by 2 inch by 3/8 inch. Effective 05/26/2011.	
CA050611-6	Occupational Safety	04/29/2011	CRNR	Proposed	Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board	
	Hazardous Liquids		2011, 17z, p. 673	Rule	General Industry Safety Order–Hazardous Liquids [8 CCR 3302, 3308]	
					Proposes renaming the section to provide a general, performance—based requirement to prevent injuries from employee contact with hazardous liquids for situations other than those addressed by 8 CCR 3480. Public hearing is scheduled for 06/16/2011 in Oakland, California.	
CA050611-7	Occupational Safety	04/29/2011	CRNR 2014 47	Final Rule	Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board	
	Personal Protective Devices		2011, 17z, p. 715		Personal Protective Devices–Hazard Assessment & Equipment Selection [8 CCR 3380]	
					Adopts standards equivalent to 29 CFR Part 1910.132(d)–(f) relating to Personal Protective Devices (Hazard Assessment & Equipment Selection). Effective 04/13/2011.	

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CA050611-8	Species	04/28/2011	76 FR 23781	Proposed	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	
	Buena Vista Lake Shrew		23101	Rule	Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Designation of Critical Habitat for the Buena Vista Lake Shrew [50 CFR Part 17]	
					Revises certain portions of a previous proposed rule. Proposed revisions include changes to critical habitat designation for the Buena Vista Lake shrew, the availability of a DEA of the proposed designation revisions, and amendments to the required determinations section of the original proposed rule. Comments due 06/27/2011. Public hearing is scheduled for 06/08/2011 in Bakersfield, California. [RIN 1018-AW85]	
CA050611-9	Toxic Substances	04/29/2011	<u>CRNR</u> 2011, 17z,	Final Rule	Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment	
	Androstenedione; Dibromoacetonitrile; Hexachlorobutadiene; Malonaldehyde, Sodium Salt		p. 712		Chemicals Listed Effective 05/03/2011: Androstenedione; Dibromoacetonitrile; Hexachlorobutadiene; Malonaldehyde, Sodium Salt	
					Adds androstenedione; dibromoacetonitrile; hexachlorobutadiene; and the sodium salt of malonaldehyde to the list of chemicals known to the state to cause cancer. Effective 05/03/2011.	
					Dibromoacetonitrile can be a byproduct of drinking water disinfection under certain circumstances. Hexachlorobutadiene is a chemical intermediate used in manufacturing rubber, lubricants, and other industrial materials. Further information is posted on the OEHHA website.	
CA050611-10	Toxic Substances Caprolactam and	04/01/2011	OEHHA Webpage	Notice	Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment	
	Nickel and Nickel Compounds				Proposed Reference Exposure Levels for Caprolactam and Nickel and Nickel Compounds	
	·				Announces availability of draft documents for proposed exposure levels for <u>caprolactam</u> and <u>nickel and nickel compounds</u> . <u>Meeting is</u> scheduled for 05/03/2011 in San Francisco,	
CA050611-11	Toxic Substances	04/29/2011	CRNR	Final Rule	California. Office of Environmental Health Hazard	
	Cyclopenta[cd]Pyrene and Others		2011, 17z, p. 711		Assessment Chemicals Listed Effective 04/29/2011:	
	and Others				Cyclopenta[cd]Pyrene, Ethanol in Alcoholic Beverages, Leather Dust, Salted Fish, Chinese— Style	
					Adds cyclopenta[cd]pyrene, ethanol in alcoholic beverages, leather dust, and salted fish, Chinese–style, to the list of chemicals known to the state to cause cancer. Effective 04/29/2011.	
					Further information is available on the OEHHA website.	
CA050611-12	Toxic Substances Proposition 65	04/29/2011	<u>CRNR</u> <u>2011, 17z,</u>	Notice	Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment	
	. 1000011011		p. 693		Chemicals Known to the State to Cause Cancer or Reproductive ToxicityAnnounces availability of the updated <u>list of substances known to the state to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity</u> .	
CA050611-13	Water	05/06/2011	<u>CRNR</u> 2011, 18z,	Notice	Department of Public Health	
	Drinking Water		p. 764		Drinking Water Title 17–Section 100 [17 CCR 7583]	
					Announces a change without regulatory effect that updates cross–references to the Health and Safety Code.	

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CA050611-14	Water	05/06/2011	<u>CRNR</u>	Notice	Department of Public Health	
	Drinking Water		2011, 18z, p. 764		Drinking Water Title 22–Section 100 [22 CCR 60400-1, 60403, 60445, 60455, 64416, 64426, 64432, 64449, 64449.2, 64575, and Appendix 64465–E]	
					Announces a change without regulatory effect to update cross–references to other regulatory provisions as well as the Health and Safety Code and to correct minor spelling and punctuation errors.	
CA050611-15	Water	04/06/2011	SWRCB Website	Notice	State Water Resources Control Board	
	NPDES				NPDES Annual Enforcement Report	
					Announces availability of the 2nd quarterly update of the NPDES 2010 Annual Enforcement Report.	
CA050611-16	Water	04/22/2011	<u>SWRCB</u>	Notice	State Water Resources Control Board	
	Sanitary Sewer		Website		Sanitary Sewer Systems Waste Discharge Requirements	
					Announces acceptance of comments on the <u>draft</u> <u>statewide Sanitary Sewer Systems Waste</u> <u>Discharge Requirements</u> , which apply to public agencies that operate sanitary sewers that have more than 1-mile lengths of pipe. Hearing will be scheduled separately. Comments due 05/13/2011.	

2.2.1 California's Air Pollution Officers Release Joint Clean Air Report

<u>California Air Pollution Control Officer's Association</u> announces the availability of its report entitled, <u>California's Progress Toward Clean Air</u>, which includes the following:

- Summary of the significant reductions in ozone pollution over the past 30 years and the reduction in the total number of unhealthy air quality days for the past decade, as measured by the Air Quality Index
- Assessment of the goals and challenges facing the California air quality
- Statistical information and trends for each of the state's independent, local air quality agencies

Additional information is available in the press release.

2.2.2 California Air Districts Regulatory Review

2.2.2.1 Antelope Valley Air Quality Management District

No regulatory items of interest were indentified during this reporting period for the <u>Antelope Valley Air Quality Management District</u>.

2.2.2.2 Bay Area Air Quality Management District

No regulatory items of interest were indentified during this reporting period for the <u>Bay Area Air Quality Management District</u>.

2.2.2.3 Eastern Kern Air Pollution Control District

No regulatory items of interest were indentified during this reporting period for the <u>Eastern</u> Kern Air Pollution Control District.

2.2.2.4 Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District

No regulatory items of interest were indentified during this reporting period for the <u>Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District</u>.

2.2.2.5 South Coast Air Quality Management District

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations for the <u>South Coast Air Quality Management District</u>.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
CAS050611-1	Air	05/04/2011	SCAQMD	Proposed	South Coast Air Quality Management District	
	Architectural		Website	Rule	Architectural Coatings [Rule 1113]	
	Coatings				Proposes amendments to applicability, definitions, and other provisions of the draft rule. <u>Draft text</u> is available for review. Hearing is scheduled for 06/03/2011 in Diamond Bar, California.	
					Item has been updated since the previous review. Further information is available on the website.	
CAS050611-2	Air	05/04/2011	O11 SCAQMD Website	Proposed Rule	South Coast Air Quality Management District	
	Permits				Amnesty for Unpermitted Equipment and Small Business Discount for Control Equipment [Rule 310.1]	
					Proposes to exempt owners and operators of unpermitted equipment that meet certain conditions from civil and criminal penalties and late filing fees if the necessary permit applications and fees are voluntarily filed and paid during the amnesty period of 07/01/2011 through 12/31/2011. Draft text is available for review. Meeting is scheduled for 05/12/2011 in Diamond Bar, California.	

2.2.2.6 Ventura County Air Pollution Control District

No regulatory items of interest were indentified during this reporting period for the <u>Ventura</u> County Air Pollution Control District.

2.3 Florida State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations in Florida.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
FL050211-1	Water SJRWMD	04/29/2011	FAW Notice #9847845	Notice Meeting	St. Johns River Water Management District Governing Board Meeting	
			#9047043		Announces a meeting to discuss regulatory and non-regulatory matters. Agenda to be posted before the meeting. Meeting is scheduled for 05/10/2011 in Palatka, Florida.	

2.4 Louisiana State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations in Louisiana.

Tracking Number.	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
LA050611-1	Air	04/20/2011	LDEQ Update	Notice	Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality	
T	TAPs		Website AQ316		Revisions to the Toxic Air Pollutant Emission Control Program [LAC 33:III.5103 and 5109]	
					Withdraws the rulemaking process and acceptance of comments for AQ316, which would have amended the Toxic Air Pollutant Emission Control Program (04/20/2011).	

2.5 Maryland State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and Programs in Maryland.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
MD050611-1	Air	05/06/2011	38:10 Md.R. 617	Final Rule	Department of the Environment	
	Permitting-GHGs				General Administrative Provisions [COMAR 26.11.01.01]; Permits, Approvals, and Registration [COMAR 26.11.02.01, 26.11.02.12]; General Emission Standards, Prohibitions, and Restrictions [COMAR 26.11.06.14]	
					Amends regulations to implement the requirements of EPA's final PSD and Title V Greenhouse Gas Tailoring Rule. Specific amendments include the following: Adding or revising definitions for CO ₂ e, GHGs, regulated air pollutants, and major sources. Including Tailoring Rule requirements into the PSD program. Providing procedures for GHG sources to obtain permits-to-construct. Effective date 05/16/2011.	
MD050611-2	Water	05/06/2011	<u>76 FR</u>	Notice	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	
	Permitting-NPDES		<u>25334</u>		Cross-Media Electronic Reporting: Authorized Program Revision Approval, State of Maryland	
					Announces approval of the State of Maryland's request to revise its authorized program to allow electronic reporting for discharge monitoring information. Effective 05/04/2011.	

2.6 Mississippi State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and Programs in Mississippi.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
MS050611-1	Air PSD-PM _{2.5}	05/03/2011	Mississippi Administrative	Final Rule	Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality	
	. 652.5		<u>Bulletin</u> #17733		Regulations for the Prevention of Significant Deterioration of Air Quality [APC-S-5]	
				Incorporates by reference updated relevant portions of federal regulations as promulgated in 40 CFR 51.166, 52.21, and 52.22 to make the state PSD permitting program consistent with federal requirements for PM _{2.5} . Amendments incorporate the following: Federal provisions related to implementation of the NSR program for PM _{2.5} (73 FR 28321, 05/16/2008) PM _{2.5} increments, significant impact levels, and significant monitoring concentration (75 FR 64864, 10/20/2010) Effective 06/03/2011.		
MS050611-2	Storage Tanks USTs	05/03/2011	Mississippi Administrative Bulletin #17732	Proposed Rule	Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality Technical Standards and Corrective Action Requirements for Owners and Operators of Underground Storage Tanks [UST-2]	
					Proposes to amend the UST regulations to establish training requirements for all persons responsible for the operation and maintenance of UST systems. Public hearing is scheduled for 06/02/2011 in Jackson, Mississippi. Comments due 06/02/2011.	

2.7 New Mexico State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and Programs in New Mexico.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
NM050611-1	Air	05/02/2011	76 FR 24421	Proposed	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	
	SIP-Ozone, PM _{2.5}			Rule	Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; New Mexico; Section 110 (a) (2) Infrastructure Requirements for 1997 8-Hour Ozone and Fine Particulate Matter National Ambient Air Quality Standards; New Mexico Ambient Air Quality Standards; Approval of New Mexico's PSD Program; CFR Codification Technical Corrections [40 CFR Part 52]	
					Proposes to approve submittals that address the infrastructure elements necessary to implement, maintain, and enforce the 1997 8-hour ozone and 1997 PM _{2.5} NAAQS. Proposed rule includes the following actions: Find that the current SIP meets infrastructure elements Approve an 11/02/2006 SIP revision to regulation 20.2.3 of the NMAC to remove the state ambient air quality standards from being an applicable requirement Convert EPA conditional approval of New Mexico's PSD program (52 FR 5964, 02/27/1987) to a full approval based on approval of New Mexico's stack height regulations (53 FR 44191, 11/02/1988) Make several CFR technical corrections Comments due 06/01/2011.	
NM050611-2	Water Quality		NM Register Vol. 22, No. 8	Final Rule	Water Quality Control Commission Ground and Surface Water Protection [20.6.2 NMAC]	
					Finalizes amendments to 20.6.2 NMAC, Sections 2001-2003, which update procedures for the following: Obtaining an NPDES permit Discharging dredged or fill material Obtaining federal permits under the FERC or Rivers and Harbor Act Effective 05/18/2011.	

2.8 Ohio State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA related operations in Ohio.

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
	Air Emergency	04/26/2011	DAPC Website- What's New	Proposed Rule	Division of Air Pollution Control, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency	
	Planning				Emergency Planning and Release Reporting [OAC 3750]	
					Proposes minor formatting and correction updates to OAC-3750 regarding emergency planning and release reporting requirements. Further details, including the <u>rule synopsis</u> and <u>interested party notice</u> , are located on the OEPA <u>website</u> . Comments due 05/27/2011.	

Tracking Number	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
OH050611-2	Air SIP-Ozone	05/02/2011	DAPC Website- What's New	Final Rule	Division of Air Quality, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency	
					Carbon Monoxide, Photochemically Reactive Materials, Hydrocarbons, and Related Materials Standards [OAC 3745-21]; Low Reid Vapor Pressure Fuel Requirements [OAC 3745-72]; Nitrogen Oxides—Reasonably Available Control Technology [OAC 3745-110]	
					Adopts final requirements intended to assist in achieving the NAAQS for ozone through controlling ozone precursors. Further details, including the public notice of adoption, are located on the OEPA website. Effective 05/12/2011.	
OH050611-3	Air	04/28/2011	76 FR 23757	Proposed Rule	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	
GHOOGTPO	SIP-Ozone, PM _{2.5}				Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Infrastructure SIP Requirements for 1997 8-Hour Ozone and PM _{2.5} National Ambient Air Quality Standards [40 CFR Part 52]	
					Proposes to approve some elements and conditionally approve other elements of certifications submitted by several states, including Ohio, regarding the requirements for the 1997 8-hour ground level ozone and fine particle NAAQS. Comments due 05/31/2011.	
OH050611-4	Water NPDES		OEPA Website- Public Notice	Notice	Division of Surface Water, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency	Glenn Research Center should be aware of this action.
					Final Issuance of Modified NPDES Permit	
					Announces final issuance of modification to NPDES permit conditions for Glenn Research Center. Effective 05/01/2011.	

2.9 Texas State Regulatory Review

No regulatory items of interest were identified during this reporting period for the state of Texas.

2.10 Utah State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA-related operations in Utah.

Tracking Number.	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
UT050611-1	Administration	05/01/2011	UT Bull.	Proposed Rule	Utah Department of Environmental Quality	
	Administrative Proceedings		Vol. 2011- 6; DAR		Environmental Quality Divisions; Administration Procedures [UAC R305-6]	
			File No. 34682, 34684, 34696, 34697, 34699, & 34702		Proposes to repeal existing administrative rules for each division of the DEQ and to reenact the rules to reference rules governing department-wide administration procedures (<u>UT Bull. Vol. 2011-6</u> ; <u>DAR File No. 34472</u> , 03/15/2011). The following rules are proposed for repeal and reenactment to reference UAC R305-6: Rule R307-103 (Air Quality) Rule R309-115 (Drinking Water) Rule R313-17 (Radiation Control) Rule R315-12 (Solid and Hazardous Waste) Rule R311-210 (Underground Storage Tanks) Rule R317-9 (Water Quality) Comments due 05/31/2011.	

Tracking Number.	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
UT050611-2 Air Stationar Sources	Air Stationary	05/01/2011	<u>UT Bull.</u> <u>Vol. 2011-</u>	2011- DAR No.	Utah Department of Environmental Quality: Division of Air Quality	
	,		9; DAR File No. 34557		Statewide Emission Standards: Stationary Sources [UAC R307-210]	
					Announces a decision to continue the statewide stationary source rule without change for another 5 years. Effective 04/06/2011.	

2.11 Virginia State Regulatory Review

This summary includes items that were reviewed for potential impacts to NASA Centers and related operations in Virginia.

Tracking Number.	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
VA050611-1	Air Monitoring	05/02/2011	VDEQ website	Notice	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality State Air Pollution Control Board	
					Virginia Annual Air Quality Monitoring Network Review	
					The <u>Draft Annual Air Quality Monitoring Network</u> <u>Review</u> is available for public comment. Comments due 06/03/2011.	
VA050611-2	Air Permitting-	04/25/2011	27:17 VA.R. 2071-2083	Final Rule	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality State Air Pollution Control Board	
	Biomass				Biomass Energy Generator General Permit for a Pilot Test Facility [9VAC5-520]	
					Creates a permitting mechanism for sources to construct and test the type and quantity of emissions from qualified energy generators from biomass. Effective 05/25/2011.	
VA050611-3 Air SIP-Lead	04/23/2011	<u>76 FR</u>	Final Rule	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency		
	SIP-Lead	22814		Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Adoption of the Revised Lead Standards and Related Reference Conditions and Update of Appendices [40 CFR Part 52]		
				Approves the addition of the primary and secondary lead standards of 0.15 µg/m³ and related reference conditions, and the update of the documents incorporated by reference. Effective 05/25/2011.		
VA050611-4	Air SIP-Permits		27:17 VA.R.	Notice	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality State Air Pollution Control Board	
			2086-2087		State Implementation Plan Proposed Revision– Major Source Permits (Rev. L07)	
					Proposes to revise the following: Federal operating (Title V) PSD	
				Nonattainment new source review permitting regulations to exclude ethanol production facilities that produce ethanol from natural fermentation from the definitions of "major stationary source" and "major source" Comments due 05/25/2011.		
VA050611-5	Air	04/25/2011	27:17 VA.R.	Final Rule	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality State Air Pollution Control Board	
	SIP-SO ₂		<u>2065-2071</u>		General Provisions [9VAC5-20], Ambient Air Quality Standards [9VAC5-30]	
				Incorporates by reference 40 CFR 50, specifically the revised primary standard for SO ₂ adding a new 1-hour standard of 75 ppb; also adds testing and monitoring requirements. Effective 05/25/2011.		

Tracking Number.	Subject	Date Published	Ref. Page	Type Action	Description	Suggested Actions
VA050611-6	Natural	04/25/2011	VDEQ	Notice	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality	
	Resources		<u>website</u>		Plant Eastern Shore Natives Campaign	
					Announces the ongoing <u>campaign</u> to plant native species on the Eastern Shore.	
VA050611-7	Natural Resources	04/29/2011	76 FR 23670	Notice	Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service	
	Technical Guidance				Notice of Proposed Changes to Section IV of the Virginia State Technical Guide	
					Announces availability of proposed changes to the NRCS State Technical Guide for the following practice standards: • 390, Riparian Herbaceous Cover • 394, Firebreak • 395, Stream Habitat and Improvement • 422, Hedgerow Planting • 643, Restoration and Management of Rare or Declining Habitats • 647, Early Successional Habitat Development/Management Comments due 05/29/2011.	
VA050611-8	Storage Tanks	04/27/2011	<u>76 FR</u>	Notice	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	
	USTs	USTs 23596	<u>23596</u>		Notice of a Regional Waiver of Section 1605 (Buy American Requirement) of ARRA of 2009 to Virginia Department of Environmental Quality	
					Announces that a waiver was granted to VDEQ's ARRA LUST by permitting the use of non-domestic iron, steel, and manufactured goods when occurring in de minimis incidental components of such projects otherwise prohibited under Section 1605(a). Effective 04/27/2011.	
VA050611-9	Water	04/25/2011	27:17 VA.R.	Notice	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality State Water Control Board	
	VPDES		2083		Virginia Department of Environmental Quality General Permit for Discharges Resulting from the Application of Pesticides to Surface Waters [9VAC25-800]	
				Announces suspension of the effective date of the General Permit for Discharges Resulting from the Application of Pesticides to Surface Waters (27:13 VA.R. 1647, 02/28/2011). Proposed permit effective date is 10/31/2011.		